

107TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. RES. 320

Honoring the Valley Sports American Little League baseball team from Louisville, Kentucky, for winning the 2002 Little League Baseball World Series.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 4, 2002

Mr. BUNNING (for himself and Mr. McCONNELL) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Honoring the Valley Sports American Little League baseball team from Louisville, Kentucky, for winning the 2002 Little League Baseball World Series.

Whereas on August 25, 2002, the Valley Sports American Little League baseball team from Louisville, Kentucky, won the Little League Baseball World Series;

Whereas this is the first time a Kentucky team has won the Little League Baseball World Series in the 56-year history of the series;

Whereas the Valley Sports team had an impressive and overall undefeated record of 24 wins and 0 losses, including 4 victories in the playoffs, and winning the championship game;

Whereas the Valley Sports team players, Aaron Alvey, Justin Elkins, Ethan Henry, Alex Hornback, Wes Jenkins, Casey Jordan, Shane Logsdon, Blaine Madden, Zach Osborne, Jake Remines, Josh Robinson, and Wes Walden, showed tremendous dedication and sportsmanship throughout the season toward the goal of winning the Little League baseball world championship;

Whereas the Valley Sports team was managed by Troy Osborne, and coached by Keith Elkins and Dan Roach, who all demonstrated professionalism and respect for their players and the game of baseball;

Whereas the Valley Sports team fans from Kentucky showed enthusiasm, support and courtesy for the game of baseball, and all the players and coaches; and

Whereas in the 56th Little League Baseball World Series championship game the Valley Sports American baseball team faced the Sendai Higashi Japanese baseball team and came away victorious by a score of 1–0: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 *Resolved*, That the Senate honors the Valley Sports
- 2 American Little League baseball team from Louisville,
- 3 Kentucky, for winning the 2002 Little League World Se-
- 4 ries Championship.

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